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# The Caledonian Mercury.

Edinburgh, Monday, August 28, 1727.

From the St. James's Evening Post, August 19.

Warsaw, Aug. 2.

**T**HE Republick is highly incensed against Count Maurice of Saxony, on account of his obstinately persisting in his Resolution to maintain his Election against all the Remonstrances of the King and his Chief Ministers. 'Tis even said, that the Troops design'd to support the approaching Commission in Courland, have begun to assemble near Sentoisko, the Inhabitants whereof are already ordered to support them with all necessary Provisions. Some Advices from the Frontiers give Account, That the Turks have formed there a Body of 20,000 Men, and are fitting out with all Expedition a considerable Fleet to act in the Black Sea: They have also drawn together a considerable Body in the Neighbourhood of Mecca, consisting of Grim Tartars, those of Budziack, Argrive and Kyte, to secure the Sepulchre of their Prophet Mahomet against the Persians, who threaten to dispossess them of it.

*Barbadoes, June 29.* On the 27th Instant, about 4 in the Morning, we had a violent Gale of Wind for six Hours, which has done a great Deal of Damage to the Ships riding at Anchor here; few have escaped without Damage; but those which have suffered most are, The John and Betty Snow of Bristol, John Bradshaw Master, near half loaded with Sugar, drove ashore, and is entirely lost; the Exchange of Bristol, John Tennant Master, is also drove ashore and lost; the Content Sloop of Bermuda, David Tynes Master, drove ashore and lost; the Young Henry Sloop of Barbadoes, Edward Crull Master, drove ashore and lost; the Ship Lark of Boston, Thomas Potts Master, about half laden, drove ashore, the Sugars will be saved, and a great Probability of the Ship being got off with some Damage; Captain Burner of the Dotten, put out to Sea, and is not yet returned: It has also done great Damage to many Buildings; several Mills are blown to the Ground, very few escaped some Mischief; several Houses are uncovered, and Trees blown up by the Roots. Captain King of the William and James, and Captain Palister of

the Robert, both bound to London, will sail in a few Days.

*London, Aug. 19.* On Thursday Night last Mr. Perry one of his Majesty's Messengers in Ordinary, was dispatch'd from his Grace the Duke of Newcastle's Office to his Excellency Mr. Walpole in Paris.

It being necessary by the Laws of Ireland, that before any Parliament is called in that Kingdom, the Lord Lieutenant and Council should certify to the King, that some particular Bills are requisite for the good of the Country; we hear that the Lord Lieutenant and Council having accordingly certified two Bills, the one as we are informed, is for *Encouraging Tillage*; the other for *impowering the Judges to determine of the Sincerity of such Converts from Popery*, as shall apply to be called to the Bar; and that a Commission is now preparing to pass the Great Seal for summoning a Parliament.

Several Gentlemen from Gloucester give an Account, that great Disturbances are there daily upon Account of the Election, the two contending Parties often engaging with their Fists, Clubs, &c. In one of the Frays last Week, a Man was so bruised, that he died the next Day after.

*From the Whitehall Evening-post, Aug. 19.*

*Amsterdam, Aug. 26.* They write from Dantzick, That the Duke of Mecklenburg was much better, and began to appear in publick.

*London, Aug. 19.* Nine Third-rate Men-of-War of Sir John Norris's Squadron that served this Summer in the Baltick, are ordered to be paid off and laid up; viz. 5 at Chatham and 4 at Portsmouth.

*Prices of Goods at Bear-Key Yesterday.*

Wheat 28 to 40. Rye 19 to 22. Barley 14 to 22. Oats 9 to 14. Pease 21 to 28. Horse Beans 16 to 22. Pale Malt 22 to 26. Brown Malt 20 to 23. Tares 17 to 23. Rapeseed 14 to 19 sh. to 15 L. per Last. New Hops, 35 sh. to 45 per Hundred. Coal, 21 to 22 sh. 6 d. per Chaldron.

*From the Flying Post, Aug. 19.*

*Naples, July 29.* Some Days ago a Schoolmaster



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of this City being gone abroad about some Business, the Children diverted themselves with creating of Judges among them, and condemned one of their Play-fellows (a Child of about 6 or 7 Years old) to be hanged; for which Purpose, they put a small Cord about his Neck, and fastned it to the Ceiling, having first placed him on a Bench, which being afterwards taken away, or fallen as some say, the Play was suddenly converted into a Trajedy; the poor innocent Child, the only Son of a pretty good Family, having been strangled. Upon which the Schoolmaster has been committed to Prison, and is thought will be severely punished, for leaving by themselves the Children committed to his Care.

*From the Amsterdam Gazette, Aug. 22.*  
*Amsterdam, Aug. 25.* Here is Advice by private Letters, That the Pretender arrived the 18th past at Nancy in Lorain, in the Habit of an Abbot, under the Name of *Zangardi*, with a very small Retinue, intending to have gone over to the Highlanders of Scotland for the 3d Time, if he could meet with any Encouragement from Foreign Powers; for which he chose to go to Nancy, that Place being situated between two great Powers, (France and the Empire) he was at hand to be informed of their Inclinations: But that finding neither of these Potentates willing to act in his Cause contrary to their Engagements, he had returned to Bologna, contenting himself with dispersing a Manifesto.

*Cassel, Aug. 18.* The 14th Instant was celebrated here with great Pomp and Magnificence, being the Anniversary of the Birth of the Landgrave our Sovereign, who then entered the 74th Year of his Age, and the 30th of his Reign. Orders were given over all the Country to forbear Work, and that there should be a Sermon from *Psal. xcii. v. 13, 14, 15* &c. 16. and at the Close of the Service, *Te Deum* to be sung with Ringing of Bells, and Triple Salvo of the Artillery and Musquetry in all Places where Troops were posted, &c.

*Petersburg, Aug. 2.* The Persons who are to be of the Retinue of his Royal Highness the Duke of Holstein in going to Kiel, are, The Counts de Basswitz and de Bonde; Messieurs de Negendorsk, Platen, Brummer, Tessin, Wachtmester, Berkholtz, Stark, Kottenbourg, Troebetzky, Heklau, Kuhibars, Peterson, Soumericoff, Lipten, &c. The Ladies who are to accompany the Dutchess of Holstein, are, The Countess La Noy, the Baroness

*Members chosen for the ensuing Parliament.*

N. B. Those marked thus \* were not in the last Parliament.

*Chichester*, \* the Hon. Charles Lumly, Esq; and Lord \* William Beauclair. *Reading*, \* Richard Pottinger, and \* Richard Thomson, Esqs. *Harwich*, \* Lord Percival, and Sir Philip Parker. *Heytesburgh*, the Hon. Horatio Townshend, Esq; and Edward Ash, Esq; *Hindon*, \* George Heathcote, and \* --- Andrews, Esq; *Old Sarum*, ---, \* Pit, Esq; and Lord Londonderry. *Great Marlow*, Edmond Waller, and \* John Clavering, Esqs. *Oxford City*, Thomas Rowney, Junior, and Francis Knollys, Esqs. *Midhurst*, Lord Viscount Broderick, Sir Bulstrode Peachy, Kt. *Bedford*, \* Samuel Ongly and \* James Metcalfe, Esqs. *Windsor*, \* Lord Vere Beauclair, and \* Lord Viscount Malspas. *Dover*, Henry Furnese and the Hon. George Berkly, Esqs. *Chipping-Wycomb*, \* Thomas Lee and Henry Waller, Esqs. *Portsmouth*, Sir John Norris and Sir Charles Wager. *Sudbury*, John Knight and \* William Leaches, Esqs. *Colchester*, Stamp Brookshanks and Samuel Tuffnal, Esqs. *Guildford*, Arthur Onslow and \* Richard Onslow, Esqs. *Shoreham*, Sir Nathaniel Gould, Kt. Francis Chamberlain, Esq; *Bleckingly*, Sir Orlando Bridgeman, Bart. William Clayton, Esq; *Brough of New Woodstock*, Samuel Trotman and the Hon. \* Charles Spencer, Esq; *Brough of Wendover*, Richard Hampden, Esq; and \* the Rt. Hon. James Hamilton Viscount Limerick. *Ludgershall*, \* Governor Charles Boone and Borlace Web, Esqs. *Brough of Southwark*, \* Sir Joseph Eyles and Edmond Hablesy, Esq; *Kye*, Philip Gibbons. \* John Norris, Esq; *Bramber*, Sir Richard Gough, Kt. Joseph Danvers, Esq; *Hazelmere*, James Oglethorpe, Peter Burrell, Esqs. *Winchester*, John Scroop and \* John Bristol, Esqs. *Suffex*, Rt. Hon. Sir Spencer Compton. the Hon. Henry Pelham, Esq; *Seining*, Lord \* Viscount Vane, George \* Bladen, Esq; *Maidstone*, Hon. John Finch, \* --- Hope, Esq; *Westbury*, Francis Annesly, \* John Gifford, Esq; *Malmesbury*, Giles Earl, \* --- Earl, Esq; *Devizes*, Benjamin Haskins Stiles, \* Francis Eyles, Esqs.



Esqs. Chipenham, \* Rogers Holland, Gabriel Roberts, Esqs. Calne, George Duckett, \* William Wardour, Esqs. Wottonbasset, ----- \* St. John, ----- \* Cross, Esqs. Banbury, \* Francis North, Esq; Seaford, Sir William Gauge, Sir Philip York. Arundel, Lord Gage, Sir John Shelley. East Grinstead, \* Lord Palmister, Lord Shannon. Cricklade, Sir Thomas Reade, \* Tison, Esq; Boston, Richard Ellys, Henry Pacey, Esqs. Abingdon, Robert Hucks Esq; Peterborough, Earl Fitz-William, Sir \* Edward Obrian, (returned by the High Sheriff) Earl Fitz-William, the Hon. Sidney Wortly, Esq; (returned by the Dean and Chapter.) Durham City, Charles Talbot, \* Robert Shaftoe, Esq; Newark, Brigadir Sutton, James Pelham, Esqs. Beverley, Charles Pelham, \* Eliezer Bradshaw, Esqs. Derby, Lord James Cavendish, Vice Chamberlain Stanhope. Southampton Town, \* Robert Eyre, \* Anthony Henly Esqs. Winton, Lord William Pawlet, Hon. George Bridges, Esq; Bridgwater, George Dodington, \* Haswell Tent, Esqs. Taunton, ----- \* Fane, George Speake, Esqs. New Rumney, David Papillon, \* John Effington, Esqs. Minehead, \* Alexander Lutterel, Francis Whitworth, Esqs. Orford, Dudley North, \* ----- Devreux, Esqs. Aldborough, Colonel Windham, Samuel Low Esqs. St. Edmundsbury, Lord Harvey, \* Colonel Norton. Aldborough in Yorkshire, William Jessop, Charles Stenhope, Esqs. Stafford, Lord Viscount Chetwynd, \* Mr. Nightingale. Christchurch Southampton, \* Charles Wither, \* Joseph Hinxman, Esqs. Braikley, Sir Paul Methuen, the Hon. Sir William Egerton. Buckingham-Town, John Fane, ----- Lewis, Esq; Marlborough, Thomas Gibson \* ----- Lisle, Esqs. Lyn-Regis, the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Walpole, Sir Charles Turner. Queensborow, Sprig Manesty, John Crowley, Esqs.

Wye's Letter, verbatim, London, Aug. 22.

Since our last arrived a Mail from Holland, and one from France.

When the Emperor had signed the Preliminaries for a general Peace, we had all the Reason imaginable to believe that the Differences between the Courts of Vienna and London were fully adjusted and settled, to mutual Satisfaction, and only wanted the Form of a Congress to pass upon them: As on the other Hand we could not have thought that the King of Spain after he had signed

the Articles for a general Pacification, would refuse to ratify them: Yet according to all our Accounts his Majesty still persists in that Resolution, as also not to restore the South Sea Ship Prince Frederick. But till that be done, we may be assured our Court will not permit the Galleons to return home. Mean Time we are told the Spaniards continue very insolent in the West Indies, and have lately taken several of our Ships and carried them into Vera Cruz.

Letters from Paris by the French Mail remark, That as soon as the Queen was brought to Bed, Mr. Biquieres Cabinet Courier, was dispatched to carry the News to the Court of Madrid; and that his most Christian Majesty has sent the blue Ribbon to the Duke de Richlieu at Vienna, by the same Courier which carried thither the News of the Queen's Delivery.

[Here come in the Elections as more fully above]

There are several other Elections most or all of which are of the same Side.

It has been reported that no Money would be issued from the ----- 'Tis believed that the Expences to the Candidates in many Places, have not been less than 2 or 3000 L. of a Side; and we hear that at Colchester in particular, 4500 Bottles of Wine were drunk in a House the Day of the Election only.

Letters from Vienna by the Holland Mail say, That the Writing that was privately handed about to favour the Chevalier's Interest has been suppressed by Order of the Government. But where he is, neither the publick nor private Letters make any Mention.

'Tis said the Imperial Court is busy in preparing Instructions for their Plenipotentiaries to the Congress of Cambray.

Last Thursday the Lord Bathurst came to the City of Gloucester, where he was received with the utmost Demonstrations of Joy; who encouraged the People in their Loyalty to their Majesties by drinking Loyal Healths, &c.

From the Whitehall Evening-Post, Aug. 22.

Dantzick, Aug. 19. Count Maurice of Saxony arrived at Mittaw the 24th inst, and was gone to the Castle of Grovina eight Miles from the Sea Coast to fortify it.

London, Aug. 22. S. S. Stock, 110, 7 8ths.

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*Cádiz, Aug. 21.* Our Ship-wrights are building with all possible Expedition 11 Men of War, 2d and 3d Rates, which are now on the Stocks in the different Harbours of this Kingdom; and in order to hasten that Work, a great Number of Carpenters are expected from Malaga and other Ports of the Kingdom. A Reinforcement of Troops is ordered for Ceuta, to change the Garison. All is quiet before Gibraltar.

*From the Amsterdam Gazette, Aug. 29.*

*Paris, Aug. 22.* The King has wrote circular Letters to all Foreign Courts, to notify the Queen's happy Delivery of the two Princesses; the eldest whereof is named *Madam of France*, and the youngest, *Madam of Navar*: They have for Godfathers the King of Spain and King Stanislaus. Louis de Rohan-Chabot, Duke de Rohan, and Peer of France, died in this City in the Night between the 17th and 18th, in the 75th Year of his Age. The Prince de Leon, his eldest Son, succeeds him in that Quality.

*From the Supplement to the Amsterd. Gazette, Aug. 29.*

*Brussels, Aug. 26.* Some Advices from Paris say, That the King intends to review the Troops posted betwixt Landrecis and Barlemont, which consist of 30,000 Men. There has been published at Mons a Placart, by Permission of the Government, setting forth, That whoever will bring Vivres or Forrage to that Camp, shall be kindly received; and be exempted from paying the usual Duties, except for Aquavita.

*Edinburgh, Aug. 18.* Early Yesterday Morning Major-General Grove arrived at his Lodgings in Canongate, from London.

A Deputation of Three Ministers from the Kirk of Scotland, have been sent hence to compliment their Majesties.

*Glasgow, August 23.*

Meal, from L. 6, 13, 00. to 07, 00, 00.

Bear, from L. 6, 13, 04. to 07, 04 00.

## ADVERTISEMENTS

**[T]** Ston or strayed, on Saturday was eight Days, out of the Stable of William Watson at Newbigging, a Gray GALLOWAY, Cut-tail'd, a white Mark on his upper Lips, Five Years old, about Seven Pound Sterling Price, goes admirably well. Whoever can give Account so as he may be recovered, upon Application to the Author of this Paper, or said William Watson at Newbigging, shall be fully satisfied for their Pains.

**[S]** That a Parcel of Royal cured Bush Herrings full hoopt, belonging to the Leith Herring-Fishing Copartnery, are to be exposed to Sale at Robert Muir's House in Leith upon the 8th Day of September next, at three of the Clock in the Afternoon. The Articles of the Roup are to be seen in the Hands of John Bell Coupar in Leith, who is just Porting and Re-packing the Herrings, and will show them to any who intends to buy them.

**[F]** That the Lands and Estate of INVERNITYLE, comprehending Invernityle and Kinclaven, which hold Feu of the Crown *cum* *Mortuagio*, (the Marriage tax'd;) the Lands of CULTRAINE, holding Feu; the Lands of AIRLEY-WIGHT, holding Feu; the Lands of ALL-LEIGH, holding Feu; all which are erect into one Barony, called, *The Barony of Invernityle*, and are of yearly free Rent, 6 Bolls of Bear, 11 Bolls, 1 Firlot, 3 Pecks, 3 Lippies Meal, and L. 3689, 14, 07 1 half of Money, including the Kain converted; Are to be sold. These Lands ly in the Parochin of Kinclaven and Auchtergavin, within 6 Miles of the Town of Perth, and are accommodate with Plenty of Moss and Muir, two good Oak Woods, one of which will cut in a short Time; a considerable Quantity of good Planting, a good Orchard and Garden on the Banks of the Water of Tay, a convenient Dwelling-house with fine Office-houses, and two Fishings on Tay; a large Park with several Divisions, inclosed with a good Stone Dike. The Rental and Progress to be seen in the Hands of Alexander Orme Writer in Edinburgh, at his House in Bell's Wynd.

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